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THE AMERICA'S CUP.

No Race--The "Defender" Goes Over the Course and Gets the Trophy.

Lord Dunsen Objects to the Crowded Course Which Was Not Kept Free.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.--The international series of races between the Defender and the Valkyrie for the American cup, has on the whole been extraordinary, and while the result is satisfactory to the American people, two at least of the contests which make up the match were not. The Defender won in a clean race on Saturday; on Tuesday last she crossed the line behind the English boat, but was awarded the race on a foul. To-day she had a walk over, and to day's occurrence was all the more unfortunate, not only because a great crowd had gathered to witness the struggle, but because the weather conditions were such as to lead many to suppose that of all days the Valkyrie would be in her element. Lord Dunsen had said last night, and he said it most emphatically, that he would withdraw his boat on the morrow if an absolutely clear course were not provided. He claimed that during the previous races his boat had been greatly interfered with, and as everything depended upon the outcome of the third series, he adhered to that decision so closely that the Valkyrie merely crossed the starting line and then retired from the contest. The Defender, which was well in advance when the handicap gun was fired, continued on her journey and went over the course well within the time limit. By her straight victories the Defender retains the historic cup for America.

The race scheduled for to-day promised to be a more exciting one than either of the two preceding, for it was to be expected that every effort would be made by Lord Dunsen, after Tuesday's disappointment, to score a victory with the boat he had brought so far. Yesterday the Valkyrie had been tuned up to the highest pitch in anticipation of to-day's contest. Several alterations had been made, and those upon whom her sailing qualities depended were prepared to expend every ounce of muscle and skill to bring her over the line a victor. Lord Dunsen was believed to have expressed himself as satisfied with the decision rendered by the cup committee on the fouling of the Defender by his boat, and the matter had been seemingly settled so amicably that there was no question in the minds of the general public that Tuesday's race would be re-sailed, and the fleet passing outward in the early hours of the morning observed afar off the Defender standing high up on her way to the lights and not far astern the Valkyrie, moving slowly, but apparently on business. It was a sign that pleased the hearts of all.

At the time that the yachts cast off their lines from their respective tugs there was every indication that there would be a good breeze up to the time they got down to the Sandy Hook lightship. The hawsers were cast off about the Scotland lightship point, but when the boats got down to the outer lightship the wind had fallen to about four or five miles an hour and had shifted from the south, southwest to west by north. Under that condition of breeze the committee saw that they could send the yachts away before the wind, out to sea, without any danger of touching land and they did so. If the committee had undertaken to send the boats to windward on the first fifteen miles of the course, they would have had to shift the starting point well down on the Long Island coast, and that they deemed inadvisable. That the course would be inward or leeward and return was indicated from the committee's boat at 10:20 a.m., by the hoisting of the letter "C" and fifteen minutes later the gentlemen in charge of the race notified the contestants by the letters "D C C" that the course would be outward, east by south, which meant a run before the wind over the first half.

While the committee was signalling the Valkyrie was sailing around without a club topail as though to notify the people in charge of the race that she was not satisfied with the way in which the excursion boats had congregated back of the starting mark. The Valkyrie continued to make little runs and tacks without her club topail and the onlookers to a man said that that the Briton was not going to race. Just exactly why Lord Dunsen had refused to make a contest of it did not appear to the observers at the time, but the opinion prevailed that His Lordship demanded a little too much. The committee when they saw there was a splendid opening for a start fired off a gun as a preliminary to notify the Valkyrie that they were ready. The patrol of steam yachts seeing that the Valkyrie demanded more room than she then had steamed about like furries ordering still further the excursion boats and tugs. All obeyed orders and made the opening wider still. The committee then fired the preparatory gun at 11:10. The Valkyrie had gone to the southward of the lightship, which was due to the southward of the position that the committee boat had taken. The Defender was then to the westward of the line, and she worked up through the line and among the excursion boats just as if she had no fear of them or anything else. The Defender had up her club topail, staysail and jib and was ready for the race. At 11:10 she dropped her spinnaker pole in position on the starboard side and gave further evidence of her readiness to contest. The Valkyrie had in the meantime shaken out a staysail under her jib and that movement gave rise to the thought that she was ready to fight her opponent. At 11:19 the Defender eased off her sheets to the full and headed down to the line and shook out her spinnaker and balloon jib-topail as she crossed the starting point. The Valkyrie came up from the southward and rounded the lightship in a careless sort of fashion, crossing the line within one second of handicap time, the gun proclaiming the end of the latter period being fired at 11:23, two minutes after the starting signal. As soon as the Valkyrie crossed she came up into the wind and everybody knew that she had quit. The Defender then went over the course, and as she was approaching the finish, Mr. Iellin, the gentleman who has been running her, yelled through a megaphone to the committee boat: "Do you wish me to cross the line?" He received no answer and he repeated the inquiry. Again no answer; so

the Defender went over at 4:04:36. The time as taken by the committee reported that she went over the course in 4:43:12. With the 29 seconds time allowance her corrected time was 4:13:43.

When the Valkyrie was entering the Narrows, Lord Dunsen and Mr. Kersey came on deck, seated themselves, and were soon engaged in an animated conversation. Mr. Kersey, on being asked for an explanation of Lord Dunsen's action, said his reason for withdrawing from the race to-day had been communicated to the cup committee in a letter which was printed this morning. Soon after the Valkyrie was safe at her moorings, Commodore Arthur Glenzie, Lord Dunsen's representative, came on board the Associated Press tug and announced that the reason the Valkyrie did not sail to-day was because of the non-compliance with the request contained in the letter to the cup committee, and which was sent with the special request that it should not be opened until the Defender's protest had been fully considered and judgment pronounced.

Lord Dunsen's strong denunciation of the interference of the steamers with the racers written Tuesday is as follows: "Gentlemen--It is with great reluctance I write to inform you that I decline to sail the Valkyrie any more under the circumstances that have prevailed in the last two races, and for the following reasons:

"1. To attempt to start two such large vessels in such confined space, and among a lot of moving steamers and tug boats, is in my opinion, exceedingly dangerous and I do not propose to risk the lives of my men or the safety of the ship.

"2. At the start of the first race the crowding was so great that we could not see the judge's boat, and could not tell when we were near the line, and were hampered by steamers, especially on the race home.

To-day, on the reach home eight or nine steamers were to windward of me, and, what was worse, a block of steamers were steaming level with me and close under my lee. I sailed nearly the whole distance in broken water from the heavy wash of these steamers. To race under these conditions is, in my opinion, absurd, and I decline to submit myself to them again. I would remind your committee that, foreseeing trouble might occur, I urged upon them the advisability of sailing off Marblehead, or some locality other than New York bay, and they refused to do so. At the same time I would testify to my full belief that your committee have done everything in their power to prevent overcrowding. The fact is, when a contest between two representative yacht clubs excites so much popular interest, and attracts such crowds of people, if the races are sailed in the immediate neighborhood of a great city, and the dates of the races and times of starting are known and advertised, it is impossible to keep the course free from causes of exceptional danger, and clear enough to ensure the probability that the match will be decided according to the relative merits of the competing vessels."

LONDON, Sept. 12.--Reuter's Agency this evening sent a request by cable to the Earl of Dunsen for a statement of the reasons of his action in withdrawing from the third race for the America's cup to-day. The following reply has been received from New York:

"Owing to the excessive crowding by steamers at the first two races, especially at the start of and on the last ten miles of the second race, I notified the cup committee on the 10th instant, requesting that the letter be not opened until after a decision had been rendered with regard to the foul at the start of the second race; that owing to the danger of a serious accident by collision with the excursion steamers, and otherwise, and owing to the absolute absurdity of carrying on the races under such conditions, I should decline to start unless some arrangements were made to race in clear water. I requested a postponement of to-day's race with a view of arriving at such an arrangement. The committee found it impossible to concede this. I then notified them that I should be at Sandy Hook lightship this morning for the purpose of giving the Defender a start. "DUNRAVEN."

FURTHER RICH FINDS.

New Discoveries Near Mineral Hill and Coleman Creek, Alberta--Encouraging Reports From Every Direction.

ALBERTA, Sept. 12.--(Special)--A new discovery has been made in the McLaughlin range, near Mineral Hill. It consists of twelve ledges of gold-bearing quartz. The rock is similar to that of the Albaral and Missing Link ledges, in which free gold is plainly seen and from which assays as high as \$4,000 to the ton have been had. A party arrived late last night from down the canal. They report discoveries of immense bodies of gold bearing conglomerate on Coleman creek, close to the shore of the Albaral canal. The excitement here is intense and is daily fed by reports of new finds in every direction.

READY FOR FAIR WEEK.

Special Features Which Promise to Be of Great Public Interest.

Excellent progress in the business of the fair was reported at the meeting of the directors of the exhibition association held last evening. It was decided to have the formal opening at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, by Hon. Col. Baker. The Sidney railroad promises a good service throughout the week, which will help materially to swell the attendance from its territory, while from the Sound several excursions are expected, though the only one definitely announced is that promoted by the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce, on Friday. Professor Robertson, the Dominion dairy commissioner, is to arrive on Wednesday evening. He will give two lectures to farmers, on Thursday and Friday afternoons at 1:30 o'clock, and on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock he will deliver a popular lecture on "Bread and Butter."

The baby competition is timed for 3 p.m. on Wednesday, which will be Children's Day and a public holiday.

The fair will be open to visitors every evening, and from the fact that there is also to be dancing every evening, it is expected that the attendance at that time will be even larger than usual.

All entries ought to be in not later than Saturday.

Carpets, rugs, curtains, crotonnes, muslins, table linens, table covers, and a host of other things at Weller's. x

CAPITAL NOTES.

Rule of the Road at Sea--No Committee of Imperial Parliament Appointed.

British Committee on the Manning of Ships to Meet in October Next.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 12.--Mr. Smith, deputy minister of marine, received a letter to-day from the Attorney-General of Great Britain, Sir Richard Webster, in which he stated that it had been found impossible to reappoint a select committee of the House of Commons on the rule of road at sea, during the late short session of parliament. There were additional difficulties in the way, as several shipowners, members of the committee, had lost their seats at the last general election and so were no longer eligible to serve on the committee. Probably, however, a committee would be appointed early in the next session of Parliament.

The Imperial committee on the manning of British ships, Mr. Smith learns from the same source, has not been called together yet, but it is probable it will be convened about the end of October.

WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Arrival of the Premier and Hon. Mr. Daly--What the "Tribune" Has to Say.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 12.--(Special)--Sir MacKenzie Bowell and Hon. Mr. Daly reached here to-day from their extended Western trip. They will visit the Selkirk Indian reserve to-morrow and next day, and expect to depart for home on Sunday. The Premier was very enthusiastic over the northern country, but being pressed to say something of a political nature, he was very reticent.

"Could you not say something about a compromise on the school question?" he was asked.

"That's just what I am waiting for the people here to say something about."

"Is it true that Sir John Schultz has been appointed on the Alaska boundary commission?"

"No, it cannot be true," he replied, "as there have been no appointments made as yet."

It is understood that a committee of Conservatives will wait on Premier Bowell and Hon. Mr. Daly on Friday, and discuss with them matters affecting the welfare of the party.

The Tribune says: "Regarding the oft-talked-of conference between Premiers Bowell and Greenway, there does not seem to be any likelihood of the same taking place. Evidently no intimation of such a conference has been given to the local government, as otherwise the Premier and Hon. Messrs. Sifton and Watson would not be out of town. Besides, Premier Greenway had received no notification before he left for the Southwest, as he so stated to a reporter. Premier Bowell's answer to-day, on the other hand, is entirely non-committal."

Speaking at Brandon yesterday Premier Bowell promised more consideration for Northwest matters in future.

SALVADOREAN REFUGEES.

Not Likely Extreme Measures Will Be Taken Against Those Who Were Surrendered.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.--The diplomatic representative of one of the Central American republics says the Republic of Salvador will probably not execute Bustamante, who was surrendered by the Nicaraguan government after being taken from an American steamer. He says there is no doubt Bustamante will be imprisoned, but in view of the position taken by the United States in the extradition cases of Ezeta's followers, it is probable Salvador will not proceed to extreme measures. It is claimed Ezeta's followers wanted by Salvador are charged with crimes other than revolution, such as murder, arson and rape, and it is upon these charges they will be tried when taken, Bustamante among the number. The Central American republics take the position that the judgment of the San Francisco court was wrong in not allowing Ezeta's refugees to be extradited, and when any of them falls into the league of governments they will be turned over to the Salvadorean government.

INTERESTING COMPETITIONS.

Prizes Awarded by the Quebec Bankers' Association on Important Economic Topics.

QUEBEC, Sept. 12.--(Special)--At a meeting of the Bankers' Association the special committee on the prize essay competition reported the following awards: In the senior competition for the best essay on the cause of the decline of the value of products, indicating to what extent it has affected the welfare of Canada, the first prize of \$100 goes to R. J. Gould, Bank of Toronto, Toronto; and the second, of \$50, to C. F. Dean, Bank of British North America, Montreal. In the junior competition for the best essay on the resources of the province in which the essayist resides, tracing their recent development or decline, the first prize of \$50 goes to F. M. Black, Bank of British Columbia, Vancouver.

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Special Premiums at Royal Agricultural Show—Crown Land Office Inspection—Granite Creek.

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VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 12.—Revelstoke wants a draw in the bridge over the Columbia river and has asked the Vancouver board of trade to help them. Mr. Abbott will be interviewed on the subject by a committee from the Vancouver board.

The board of trade membership fee has been reduced to \$5 per individual member. Heretofore there has been a fee of \$25 for firms.

Bishop Dart met the Vancouver public at the residence of Mr. Charles Caldwell to-night.

Mr. A. Fleck, an Ontario capitalist, accompanied by Mr. Hogg, of Montreal, is at present inspecting several claims in Granite Creek, between Nicola and the Similkameen country. If the inspection turns out satisfactorily, considerable development will probably be made in that district.

Miss Peters, the musician, sustained fractured ribs by being thrown from her buggy by a runaway horse yesterday.

Mr. A. Q. St. George has charged a lady teacher of the Mt. Pleasant school with assaulting and beating his little girl, a pupil of the school. The case is being heard in the police court.

J. M. Gordon, inspector of lands for the Dominion, left here for the Pitt Meadows in company with T. S. Higginson, crown land inspector, to-day. Mr. Gordon says that considering the scarcity of money, the amount received for the sale of crown lands in the province for the past year is very satisfactory. Mr. Gordon will inspect the timber lands owned by the government.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Sept. 12.—The following special premiums have been offered as prizes for the Royal agricultural show: The Lieutenant-Governor, cattle, silver cup; President T. J. Trapp, swine, silver cup; A. B. Mackenzie, span draught horses, \$10; P. W. Ellis & Co., jewellers, Toronto, sheep, medal; Major & Eldridge, boar, \$10; Thos. Shannon, boar and four of his get, \$10; Major & Eldridge, poultry, \$20; George Mead, poultry, \$10; G. Spice, Vancouver, poultry, \$5; C. W. Riley, poultry, special prize; Henry Kipp, Chilliwack, exhibit of grain, \$5; S. J. Thompson, photographs, \$15; special prize by J. B. Kennedy for the best loaf of bread made by a girl of twelve, \$10; Lake of the Woods Milling Co., bread, special prize; Ogilvie Milling Co., bread, special prize; G. D. Bryman, butter, \$10; T. A. Sharp, experimental farm, butter, \$10; G. F. Welch, exhibit of wall paper, \$5; Corporation of Burnaby, vegetables, \$5; Braekman & Kor, ome, \$20; E. M. Palmer, Victoria, fruit, \$10; E. Hutchinson, Ladner's Landing, prune tree, \$10; G. W. Henry, Hatzie, apples, \$12; R. H. Smith, to general fund for premium list, \$30; H. T. Gowan, landscape from nature, \$5; W. H. Stein, Vancouver, best collection of water colors, \$10; "American Farmer," Washington, ten annual subscriptions for distribution; Okell-Morris Co., Victoria, to the general fund, \$30; Sons of England society, \$10 for the cow making the most butter during twenty-four hours of the exhibition. The Dominion travelling dairy will occupy the west wing of the building. A medal is to be awarded for jellies and jams. The dog show building will be enlarged, improved and removed from its present site. John Fanning, the provincial curator, will probably lend his valuable assistance in the minor department. The poultry building is being much improved.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Sept. 12.—J. H. Faraday, who acted as manager of the Bank of British Columbia during Mr. William's absence in England and who is now leaving for Victoria, was banquetted to-night at the Windsor hotel by a number of prominent citizens. Low Tarrant, Nanaimo's crack baseball player and all round athlete, has gone to San Francisco, leaving his wife in a dying condition and a family of small children totally unprovided for. Mrs. Tarrant's brother is here from Calgary to look after her and the little ones. The police have been instructed to secure Tarrant's arrest at San Francisco if possible on a charge of criminal desertion.

The construction of the new central school, which will be a substantial addition to Nanaimo's educational facilities, is proceeding apace, and it is expected that the school will be ready for the accommodation of fully 600 pupils in the course of the next two months. It will cost \$15,000.

Sister Mary Florence, of St. Ann's convent, met with a painful accident on Tuesday night. She slipped while passing through a doorway and in falling broke her left knee cap. Dr. McKechnie set the knee, and his patient was taken down to Victoria, where she will be treated in the St. Joseph's sisters' hospital.

James Harvey, eldest son of the late James Harvey, a pioneer merchant of this city and Wellington is in from Scotland, where he has resided for the past seven years. He notices marked progress; after spending a few days in the province Mr. Harvey proceeds to Nicaragua where he will engage in coffee growing.

Sister Frances, of St. Luke's Home, Vancouver, is paying a short visit to Sister Gertrude at the Veronika Home.

Dr. Hall, of this city, who is now taking a course of medicine at San Francisco, is the clerk of the medical class, by proving his attendance at which Durrant proposes to substantiate his alibi.

UNEASINESS IN LONDON.

Impression That the Syndicate Cannot Go on Providing the U. S. Treasury With Gold.

New York, Sept. 12.—The Evening Post's special London cablegram says: The Bank of England's coin and bullion increased only £287,000 this week, although the net influx of gold from abroad was £446,007. The details were, £358,000 in bars and U. S. coin; £200,000 exported to the Cape; £100,000 to Alexandria; £62,000 to South America, and £50,000 to Rio. Americans were very dull to-day, the position in regard to the treasury giving cause for the revival of uneasiness. The impression prevailed that the syndicate cannot go on providing the treasury with gold except by importing it, and that of course would be distinctly unprofitable. Other markets were irregular. Kaffirs were of color, but Australian mines were buoyant.

Insure your plate glass. Mellor. *

COMPLETE SELF-GOVERNMENT.

Claim That This Must Be Conceded or Spain Will Lose Cuba.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The Havana correspondent of the Times says: I have just returned from the province of Matanzas, where I found sympathy with the rebels in all parts. Everywhere the economic situation is such that it is difficult for planters to obtain advances and they are unable to obtain employment for the laborers. Hence great numbers are unable to earn a support. An ex-Spanish official, who is now a planter, gave it as his opinion that the only thing to be done, if Spain would not lose Cuba, is to grant a complete measure of self-government. The Cuban leader of the autonomists in the Colon district stated that the autonomists of that district regarded the central committee at Havana as weak and as not furthering the cause of Cuban autonomy. The time is arriving when Spain must offer absolute autonomy if it wishes to keep Cuba. Maximo Gomez is advancing toward Santa Clara with the object of allowing Roloff to advance into Matanzas. Gen. Campos has wired to Madrid not to send further reinforcements.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Another vessel required for service in Cuba against the insurgents will be bought in New York, making the fifth the Spanish consul general has purchased here. The money to be expended on this ship has been donated by Senor Antonio Guea Mendez, a wealthy Spanish merchant of Havana. He follows the example of Senor Herrera and several other Spaniards. Speaking of the purchase of these boats in this country by the Spanish government, President Palma said that the Cuban junta regrets that the conditions do not permit them to enjoy the same advantages in this country as Spain. "It is true," he declared, "that we can buy anything we want here, but the difficulty comes in shipping to Cuba. Spain cannot only buy what she wants, but can send to Cuba whatever she pleases. If we were recognized as belligerents we would be allowed to do the same thing."

WORLD'S RAILWAY RECORD.

TO THE EDITOR:—I notice in this day's issue of your paper a telegram from Buffalo under the heading, "Railway Record Broken," in which it is said that the New York Central has covered the distance of 440 miles between New York and Buffalo in seven hours. The paragraph claims this as the "world's long distance record," and three quarters of an hour better than the record established lately by the west coast route in the railway race from London to Perth and Aberdeen.

As I have by me the Edinburgh Evening Despatch of August 23, I am happily able to correct this vainglorious American misstatement. A train leaving Euston at 8 p.m. on August 22, reached Aberdeen at 4:32 a.m. on August 23, having run the distance of 540 miles in 8 hours, 32 minutes, which gives an average speed of 63½ miles an hour. The average speed of the American railway is under 63 miles an hour, and that, too, for a run shorter by 100 miles than the British road.

The fastest part of the N.Y.C. journey was done from Syracuse to Buffalo—149 miles in 141 minutes—giving an average of 63.25 miles per hour. The British line steamed 135½ miles between Crewe and Carlisle in two hours; or at the rate of 67½ miles an hour, and this in face of the heavy gradients at Greystock and Shap. As this remarkable record only beat by eight minutes the previous day's run of their East coast rivals, it may be that since August 23 the time has been yet further diminished. It seems curious that Buffalo railway men should not have heard of this extraordinary journey. In the meantime it is gratifying to know that they have been premature in their triumph, and that British railways can still eclipse in speed those of any other nation, including the United States of America.

JOCK McCRAW.

THE LAW DISREGARDED.

TO THE EDITOR:—Any ratepayer having doubt as to the justification for the oft-repeated charges of civic mismanagement ought surely to have been convinced by the letter signed "John Macmillan, Alderman," which appeared in your issue of this date. I will not dwell upon the grossly misleading nature of that letter, the writer's lofty assumption of superiority over his fellow aldermen and his critics, or his hollow claim to credit for having "saved" the corporation a paltry sum when he chose the product of Chinese cheap labor from Seattle in preference to that of the deserving white workmen of Victoria. What I wish to call attention to is the monstrous folly of the council in delegating absolutely to a committee the authority to misapply the corporation funds in the way that the amount sent to Seattle for sewer pipes has been misapplied. The result has been that two aldermen have set at defiance the wishes of all the rest of the board, to whom they now coolly say in effect: "Why did you give us authority if you were not prepared to take the consequences?" Why indeed? Is it any wonder that the ratepayers, notwithstanding the shameful condition of the principal streets, are reluctant to see any costly permanent improvement undertaken by the present board? ONE WHO PAYS.

Victoria, Sept. 12, 1895.

Hall's Hair Renewer cures dandruff and scalp affections; also all cases of baldness where the glands which feed the roots of the hair are not closed up.

New English dioner sets at Weller Bros.; these are very handsome and the newest style of decoration.

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Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTED.—Situation by Japanese as plain cook. Address H. Colonist office. oc12-2t

WANTED AT ONCE.—Five first-class cooks, steady employment. J. G. Campbell, Vancouver. oc11-6t

WANTED.—A nursery governess to take charge of two small children. Apply to Miss Rhodes, 151 Blanchard street. oc11-4t

WANTED.—1,000 men to place their fire insurance with the Scottish Union & National Insurance Co. of Edinburgh; assets over \$11,000,000, and with The British America Assurance Co. of Toronto. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

WANTED.—500 lots of new and cast off clothing, and shoes; 83 Johnson street. S. Coones. oc11-1m

WANTED.—To buy anything in the second hand line at 60½ Johnson street. oc11-1m

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TO LET OR LEASE.

TO RENT.—A furnished dwelling, well situated; at a moderate rental. Apply to Hall, Gossel & Co. oc5-1m

TO LET.—Comfortable furnished rooms with or without board. Woodbine House, 107 Pandora Avenue. oc10-1m

TO LET.—Six roomed house, No. 115 Superior street, rent reduced to \$15 per month; eight roomed brick house corner of Cadboro Bay Road and Oak Bay Avenue, rent reduced to \$15 per month. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FOR RENT.—One room with private family, where there are no other roomers; bath, shower, hot and cold water; conveniently situated; ten minutes walk from town, and close to car, \$5.00. Address M. Colonist office. oc12-7

TO LET.—For the summer season or longer, the Maple Bay House, Maple Bay, with about 2 acres fruit bearing orchard and 160 acres sheep run, if wanted. This is the finest and prettiest place on the Island for anyone seeking health or pleasure, nice beach, fine fishing, good shooting, etc. Apply at the Alderlea, Duncan, Wm. Beaumont. oc12-7

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE.—Victoria West Steam Bakery, offering one of the best business openings in B.C. to day. Apply to The Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Victoria. oc12

FOR SALE.—The Thres Star Saloon, corner of Port and Wharf streets. Apply on the premises. oc11-6t

FOR SALE.—A magnificent folding bed, the finest made; with drawers, wardrobe and F.P. mirror combined; in E. patent; bargain; see it. Address Bed, Colonist office. oc10-6t

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FOR SALE.—Seven roomed house, No. 103 Carr street; close to Beacon Hill and electric cars, price reduced to \$1,850 as owner is leaving city. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

FARMERS and others having land to clear would do well to write to or call and see George Glover, of No. 61 Fourth street, Victoria, B.C., who has for sale or hire the tree and stump puller known as "The Canadian Giant," which he believes is the best and speediest stump pulling machine in the world. oc10-1md&w

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Under instructions from W. J. Macaulay, Esq., who contemplates travelling abroad, we are authorized to offer for sale his elegant family residence "HIGHLANDS," situated on Rockland avenue, Victoria. The house is solidly constructed and beautifully finished throughout; replete with all modern conveniences. The grounds comprise over five acres, tastefully laid out with spacious lawns, rare shrubs, flowers and fruit trees, an command an unsurpassed view of the Olympic Range, Mount Baker and the Straits of Fuca. There are large, well-planned stables, carriage-houses and gardener's dwelling. For particulars apply to DALBY & CLAXTON, 61 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C. oc23-1m

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For sale 1000 cords of dry cordwood at from \$2.50 per cord. (1 per cord, according to quality) delivered. Samples can be seen at my yards corner of Discovery and Government streets, or Spratt's wharf. Your order solicited. Steam wood sawing done in any part of the city at current rates, also stove wood for sale in large lots to suit. Delivered promptly at current rates. A. C. HOWE. Telephone No. 40. oc11-4m

TENDERS.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS.

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday next, the 16th inst. at 12 o'clock noon for printing (1) By-laws Nos. 190, 210, 217, 218, 219 and 250, and (2) Municipal Voters' Lists for the year 1896. Specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 6, 1895. oc1

TENDERS INVITED.

Tenders for the construction of the Agassiz Drainage Works, under the control of the Agassiz Drainage Commissioners, will be received at the office of Gordon, Hermon & Burwell, Cambie street, Vancouver, where plans and specifications may be seen up to noon, Saturday, the 14th inst.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. oc1

SEALED TENDERS

Will be received by the undersigned up to 1 o'clock of Monday, the 16th instant, for the supply of 22 Suits of Clothing and 22 pairs of Shoes for the Police Force of the City of Victoria.

Specifications as to material and workmanship can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. oc1

WM. W. NORTHCOFF, Purchasing Agent for the City. City Hall, Victoria, B.C., September 5th, 1895. oc6-1d

NOTICE

Tenders for Coke

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at Nelson, B.C., up to 10th October next, for eighteen hundred tons of Smelting Coke, to be delivered in equal monthly instalments of four hundred and fifty tons, on or before 1st December, 1895, 1st January, 1st February and 1st March, 1896, at the Hall Mines Smelting Works, Nelson, B.C. The works adjoin the C.P. Railway.

Tenders must be accompanied by a fair average sample of the Coke offered. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. oc5-1m

HENRY E. CROASDALE, Commercial Manager, The Hall Mines, Ltd.

Undertaking Business for Sale.

TENDERS

will be received by the undersigned up to 1 p.m., September 21st, 1895, for the purchase of the complete Undertaking Stock, Fixtures and Book Accounts of John Hilbert, of Nanaimo. The stock and fixtures can be inspected and full particulars given on application to the undersigned. B. D. PHESLEY, P. O. Box 150, Nanaimo, B.C., Assignee Estate John Hilbert, Nanaimo, B.C., Aug. 24, 1895. oc31-1d

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Nos. 1, 2 and 3.

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Large, \$10.00. Small, for children's use at home, \$1.75.

No household should be without one of these charts, which make the study of history a pleasure—not a task.

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Situated half way between Chemainus and Maple Bay, and within 3 miles of Hall's Crossing, on the E. & N. Railway and ten miles from Duncan's. Five acres are under cultivation, and the balance has been slashed and burned, and with a slight expense can all be made ready for crop. The property is well situated, having a half mile frontage on the water. There is excellent water on the property for all purposes. There is a small house and barn on the land. For anyone requiring a small farm or a charming country seat, the above will be found well suited to their desire. The property, including various implements, will be sold for \$2,000. Terms will be made to suit the purchaser.

For further particulars apply to "Rancher," care of The Colonist. oc22-1d

EDUCATIONAL.

Kindergarten and Primary School

10 BLANCHARD STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

Patroness: Her Excellency the Countess of Aberdeen.

Principal.....Mrs. R. S. Day Kindergarten.....Miss Mathews (1st Class Certificated Teacher.) Physical Culture.....Mrs. W. Marvin

The above School will re-open on Monday, September 9th, 1895. The teaching in the Primary School will be conducted entirely on Kindergarten principles, and will include reading, writing, arithmetic, history, nature studies, with simple needlework and cutting out for the girls, and first lessons in Stord for the boys. Lectures in practical cookery will be given every Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to older girls.

Training class for ladies wishing to study the kindergarten system, four afternoons in the week. For full particulars apply to THE PRINCIPAL, Darreen, Rocklands avenue, Victoria, B.C. oc25-1t

ANGELA COLLEGE.

BOARDING SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

The College will re-open (after summer vacation) for reception of boarding pupils Friday, August 30th, 1895. For day pupils Monday, Sept. 2nd, 9:30 a.m. A special primary class for children from 6 to 9 years of age on very moderate charges is to be opened. The Principal is at home to receive parents and guardians on scholastic business every day from 12 to 4 (Saturdays excepted). For prospectus apply to the Principal.

MISS DEVEREUX, Angela College, Victoria, B.C. oc15-1m oc1

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(Affiliated to McGill University.) No. 83 Simpson Street, Montreal.

— FOR THE —

Higher Education

Young Women

with preparatory Department for Girls between 10 and 13 years.

President, MRS. JAMES BARCLAY, D.D. Principal, MISS GRACE FAIRLEY, M.A., Edinburgh. The Institute will re-open with an efficient staff of twelve resident and visiting teachers, on Tuesday, 10th September 1895.

The Institute buildings are situated on the mountain side overlooking the City. The spacious grounds are attractively laid out and the surroundings are not only beautiful but very healthful.

A limited number of day pupils will be admitted. For copy of Prospectus and other information apply to the principal, at the Institute, or to A. F. Riddell, Secretary, 22 St. John St., Montreal.

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and KNIVES OF PLANING MACHINES up to 80 inches in length can be ground on an AUTOMATIC KNIFE GRINDING MACHINE in the Engine Room of The Colonist Office.

MUNICIPAL.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th, August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year.

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office. CHAS. KENT, Collector

City Collector's Office, Victoria, B.C., Aug. 28, 1895. oc1

\$10.00 REWARD.

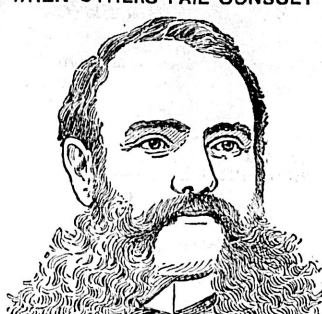
The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons setting fire to any grass or causing any grass fire within the corporate limits of the City of Victoria.

By Order. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, 10th September, 1895. oc11

SPECIAL.

WHEN OTHERS FAIL CONSULT



DOCTOR SWEENEY,

THE LEADING SPECIALIST OF THE UNITED STATES.

The friend and benefactor of suffering humanity, who for a number of years has had prominent offices at Seattle, where the sick and afflicted can receive treatment in the future, as they have in the past, from this noted PHILANTHROPE whose fame is being spread from Pacific coast to the Atlantic.

WHY do the sick people of Seattle and vicinity crowd his office daily?

BECAUSE the wonderful cures he is making have created confidence and delighted the hearts of those who struggled in vain for years against the ravages of disease until this doctor restored them to health.

ALL PRIVATE DISEASES OF MEN AND WOMEN POSITIVELY CURED IN THE SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME.

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If you are victims of youthful indiscretions and natural losses; if you are on the road to idiocy, insanity and the grave; if gloom and melancholy, morbid fear and unnatural lust pervades your mind; if you are dependent and downhearted; if you have lost all energy and ambition; if you have an aversion to society; if your memory is failing and you are unfit for business or study, you should consult Doctor Sweeney before it is too late. Get well and be a man.

POOR who call at his office Fridays are welcome to his services free of charge.

METHOD OF TREATMENT

BARKERVILLE NEWS.

H. P. Bell, C.E., and Party on Their Survey Through Goat River Pass.

A Cyanide Plant to Be Erected at Barkerville—Capitalists on Their Way to Invest.

(Special Correspondence.)

BARKERVILLE, Sept. 7.—H. P. Bell, C.E. and party under his charge, went through the Downie pass last Wednesday on the way to Goat river, making a preliminary survey for the British Pacific railway. He expects to be gone about two weeks. The Goat river pass was the one that was missed by the C. P.R. in their first survey and is said to be a very easy pass, the highest point being Downie pass where the elevation is 4,200 feet. It is three miles northwest of Barkerville.

A number of gentlemen representing capital are expected up on the next stage to look over some hydraulic properties for which there seems to be a great demand. Cariboo is on the eve of great prosperity from discoveries recently made in different parts.

There is also to be a cyanide reduction works established here, which will fill the long felt want of a plant to work the refractory ores which abound in this section.

The Rev. Mr. Hulton held services here a week ago Sunday which were very much appreciated by those who attended. We are to have monthly services in the future by a Presbyterian missionary.

The past two weeks have been notable for the fine warm weather, but yesterday the mountain tops received their first coat of the beautiful, which has nearly disappeared again. Rain fell in the valleys, but not in sufficient quantity to be of any use for hydraulizing.

Last week a picnic party went to Bear lake. Among those present were Mrs. Senator Reid, Mrs. Mason, Miss Newson of Vancouver, Miss Bowron, Mr. Rogers, M.P.P., Mr. W. V. Bowron, and several others. They had an enjoyable time, and some excellent fishing also, to judge of the trout they brought home, some weighing as much as five pounds. They state that Bear lake is a little paradise, although the distance from here, twenty-four miles, makes it quite a long journey to ride over a trail on horse back.

A number of the same party also made a trip to the summit of Mt. Agnes, and enjoyed a little picnic the week before last. The view from the summit, 6,200 feet high, is a very beautiful one on a clear day. The party secured a number of fine photographs to be retained as souvenirs of the trip.

The weather is fine but chilly, with fresh snow on the mountain tops. W. E. L.

THE PREVOST CASE.

Preliminary Hearing Resumed and Further Adjourned Until Noon To-Day.

Yesterday the preliminary hearing of the indictments against J. C. Prevost was resumed in the city police court. The second charge, that of stealing \$824, partly heard on Tuesday, was temporarily laid over and the third was taken up. This was of stealing \$1,565, in October, 1893.

A. P. Luxton, barrister, of the firm of Davis, Pooley & Luxton, was the first witness sworn. He was managing clerk for C. E. Pooley on 19th October, 1893. He recognized a receipt which he had given J. C. Prevost in the matter of the Leigh estate, on that date, for \$1,565. He also identified a check for the amount, drawn and signed by J. C. Prevost. The check was paid into the bank to Mr. Pooley's account and was not protested. The amount was Mrs. W. Dawdney's share of a sale of property belonging to the Leigh estate.

Two exhibits were then put in by the prosecution, these being orders of court one signed Sept. 13, 1893, authorizing J. C. Prevost as administrator of the Wm. Leigh estate to sell lands belonging to the estate; the second, signed October 30, 1893, confirmed the sale of certain land to J. Boscowitz.

At this point R. E. Brett, of the Attorney-General's office, identified a letter received at the Attorney-General's office March 1, 1895. It was from Drake, Jackson & Helmcken and dated Feb. 28, 1895. (This letter referred to the second charge of stealing \$824.)

Here a slight difficulty occurred. The prosecution wanted Mr. Aikman, counsel for the defence, to admit certain facts in regard to the letter. Mr. Aikman did not want to raise any needless difficulties, but did not think he should be required to admit facts. He would admit the letter, and thought it self-explanatory. Mr. A. G. Smith, for the Crown, wanted the Court to call Mr. Aikman as a witness, but this Mr. Aikman asked time to consider, as it did not seem he should be called to give evidence against his client. The Court allowed the matter to lie over for a time, and proceeded again with the hearing of the third charge.

J. Boscowitz, merchant, sworn, stated that he had purchased the Leigh estate property mentioned in the court order of October, 1890, already filed. The lots were \$39, \$39A, \$40 and \$48, and the price was \$8,135. He gave a check to Prevost for \$6,000 on January 13, 1891, having previously given Capt. Clark, the auctioneer, the difference, on September 10, 1890. Both checks were paid by the Bank of British Columbia and charged to witness' account.

G. A. Goffin, accountant of the Bank of British Columbia, produced a deposit slip showing that on January 30, 1891, the accused made a deposit of \$6,142, a portion of which was a check from J. Boscowitz of \$6,000. The deposit was passed to Prevost's private account. Witness also identified a check for \$1,565.08 drawn on account of the registrar for the time being.

The accused, to this charge also, declared that he had nothing to say; and his counsel did not wish to call any witnesses.

The court adjourned to meet at noon to-day, then to again take up the second charge.

Everywhere We Go

We find someone who has been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and people on all hands are praising this great medicine for what it has done for them and their friends. Taken in time Hood's Sarsaparilla prevents serious illness by keeping the blood pure and all the organs in a healthy condition. It is the great blood purifier.

Hood's Pills become the favorite cathartic with everyone who tries them. 25c per box.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Carpenters' tools at Cheapside.



ALL MOTHERS WHO HAVE USED DALMO-TAR SOAP KNOW THAT IT IS THE BEST BABY SOAP for healing the delicate skin of Sores.

Baby was troubled with sores on head and legs. I tried "Dalmo-Tar Soap." In a very short time the sores disappeared, skin became smooth and white, and the child got perfectly well. MRS. HOUTMAN, Crediton. Only 25c. Big Cake.

HALL MINES.

The Smelter Will Be Ready to "Blow in" by the New Year.

A Hundred Ton Plant Now on the Ground—Active Development Operations.

Speaking of the mining development of the Kootenay country Mr. H. E. Croasdale, manager of the Hall mines, yesterday remarked that people on the Coast do not even yet seem to realize the magnitude of the industry. Take for instance the three main mining districts, the Slocan, that round Nelson, and the Trail and Rossland country. These are no longer in the preliminary stages of "prospects," but have well developed mines that are constantly producing an immense quantity of ore. Speaking more particularly of the Hall mines, Mr. Croasdale stated that the tramway for carrying the ore from the mines 4½ miles to the smelter is about completed, the smelter plant is now on the ground and by the beginning of the year the smelting operations will begin. The smelting plant will have a capacity of 100 tons a day, and the tramway will bring the ore from the mines at the rate of ten tons an hour. There are 7,000 tons of ore now on the dump and 100 men working at the mines. One great advantage of the ore is that it is practically self fluxing. It averages across the whole vein without any sorting, and taking a very conservative estimate, between 40 and 50 ounces in silver, and 5 per cent. in copper; besides it runs well in manganese, iron and lime, which will obviate the necessity of other fluxes, with perhaps the exception of a little iron. The product of the smelter will be a medium grade copper matte, running several hundred ounces in silver. Tests of the ore have been made in both Swansea and New Jersey and it has been proved to be practically self-fluxing—a most important factor in its economical treatment. Ore bins have been erected at the mine of 5,000 tons capacity and at the lower terminus of the tramway of 7,000 tons capacity; so that a supply may always be kept on hand and prevent any delays. A railway siding has also been put in and every care taken to make quick and economical handling of ore, coke and matte.

At the mine the vein is being thoroughly tested by means of borings by power drills, which are operated so as to prospect the vein below the present workings. The results are proving quite satisfactory. With the smelter in operation a means will be at hand for the owners of such properties as the Poomie and other gold producing claims in the district to get their ore treated at home, and in that way the development of mining will be directly assisted. A mill will probably be erected in Nelson to concentrate such ores before they are sent to the smelter. Mining development is going ahead very busily in the Nelson district at present.

TOWNS TERRORIZED.

Desperadoes on the Lower St. Lawrence—Local Authorities Powerless.

RIMOUSKI, Sept. 12.—(Special).—Latterly the district on the south bank of the St. Lawrence below Quebec comprising the country of Rimouski has been the scene of the operations of a band of ten or twelve desperadoes of the tramp class, who as an organized armed body have gone around in the day time from town to town and house to house, burglarizing and terrifying men, women and children, forcing them to feed them after having robbed them. They appear to be men in the prime of life. When over a door is refused to them they break it down, and at the points of revolvers force the occupants of the house to give up money and whatever valuables they have. They have terrorized over St. Anaclet, St. Luce, St. Argele and did just as they pleased, the local authorities, when called upon having been either too apathetic or too frightened to deal with them. On Friday they visited St. Flavie, but the inhabitants were ready for them, having barricaded their houses received them with hot shot and drove them away. It is said that an effort will be made to secure the services of a squad of provincial police.

STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—The closing prices on the Stock Exchange were:

American Sugar	111 1/2
Atchafalpa & Santa Fe	20 1/2
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	87 1/2
New York Central	102 1/2
C. & C. & St. Louis	10 1/2
Chicago Gas	62 1/2
Canada Southern	55 1/2
Distilling	18 1/2
Denver & Rio Grande (preferred)	17 1/2
Dollars & Hudson	132 1/2
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	103 1/2
N. Y. Lake Erie & Western	9 1/2
General Electric	38 1/2
Jones & Lamson	112 1/2
Kansas & Texas	18 1/2
Manhattan Elevated	113 1/2
Missouri Pacific	32 1/2
North American Company	57 1/2
Northern Pacific (preferred)	18 1/2
St. Paul & Omaha	43 1/2
Pacific Mail	32 1/2
Reading	49 1/2
New York & New Jersey	101 1/2
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	75 1/2
Texas Pacific	12 1/2
Union Pacific	15 1/2
Western Union	53 1/2
Leather Com. (preferred)	81 1/2
Stirling Exchange (30 days)	4.80
C. P. R. in London	on demand 4.90
C. P. R. in Montreal	53 1/2
Bar silver per ounce	67

Ayer's Hair Vigor tones up the weak hair roots, stimulates the vessels and tissues which supply the hair with nutrition, strengthens the hair itself, and adds the oil which keeps the shafts soft, lustrous and silky. The most popular and valuable toilet preparation in the world.

After the wedding come the wedding cards—those dainty souvenirs of the happy day. Don't forget that the only complete stock of this kind of stationery in the city is to be seen at the Colonist office. An inspection invited.

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In contiguous Blocks; Beautifully watered; forming one of the finest estates in the Province; house and farm buildings, 2000 cattle; 50 to 80 horses; easy approach; good roads; railways projected to property and the estate is in close proximity to some of the best developed, most promising gold mines in the District. The price of the whole is extremely moderate. Principals only treated with.

FOR SALE --- 1388 - ACRE FARM

About 1000 Acres of which is Ploughable Prairie of First-class Quality.

120 Head Cattle 1 pedigree Hereford Bull.

12 Horses.

Ploughs, Harrows,

Reaper, Wagon, Sleds and usual Farm Implements.

Double Harness,

Chain Harness, Bull Chains, Saddles (ladies and gent's), Bridles, etc.

Blacksmiths' Bellows, Anvil and Tools and Carpenters' Tools.

9-Room House

(shingle roofed; Stable for 10 horses, with hay loft above; Stone Roothouse, Store Buildings, Dairy, Cow Sheds, etc., etc.

7 Miles (about) Standing Fences, in good order; Corrals, &c.

Small Lot Household Furniture,

Stove and Pipes, Cooking Utensils, Crockery, etc., etc.

These localities are rapidly settling up and as farm land is limited great inducement is offered to any person or corporation having capital and knowledge necessary to develop and work these estates. A store, hotel and blacksmith shop could be run in connection with the farm.

P. O. BOX 188.

TELEPHONE NO. 74.

The Person

That wants a good match and that knows a thing or two will remember that this brand is synonymous with everything desirable in fire-producing lucifers.

"E. B. EDDY'S MATCHES."

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TAX ON DOGS.

Owners of dogs are requested to take notice that the tax for the year 1895 on every dog within the City of Victoria is now due.

The provisions of the "Pound By-law" and the "Revenue By-law, 1893," will be enforced with respect to any such tax remaining unpaid from this date.

Mr. Robert Carter is authorized to collect the above tax. CHAS. KENT, Collector. City Collector's Office, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., May 22nd, 1895. my23-t

SHORTHAND.

Pittman's system, taught in twenty-five lessons for \$25. Proficiency Guaranteed. Address 3 Centre Road, Spring Ridge.

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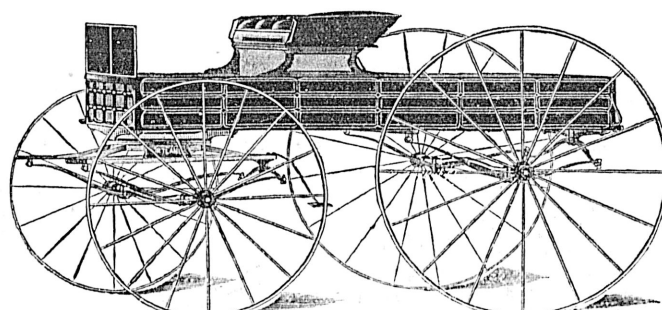
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Dated Victoria, the 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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The annual general meeting of the Shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Victoria, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of October next, at 11 a.m.

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WAS THE LAW DISREGARDED?

Those of our readers who take an interest in civic affairs no doubt read Alderman Macmillan's ingenious letter with a good deal of interest. They naturally wanted to see what the worthy Alderman had to say for himself. They must have observed that he did not attempt to show that he regarded subsection (c) of section 21 of the Municipal Act. The object of his letter, it appeared to us, was to show that that provision of the law did not apply to the acceptance of Mr. Kellar's tender. He evidently believes that as the sum of which the one thousand and odd dollars paid to Mr. Kellar for pipe manufactured in Seattle was a party, had been placed to the credit of the Sewerage Committee by the Council it was not necessary to ask the Council how its members should spend any part of it.

The section which we said that Aldermen Macmillan and Cameron disregarded states that the proceedings of standing committees "shall be subject to the approval of Council; and no debt shall be contracted or money expended by the authority of or at the direction of any such committee in excess of fifty dollars at a time unless first sanctioned by the Council in manner provided by statute or by-law or resolution of Council." Now, the money paid by the sewer committee to Mr. Kellar greatly exceeded fifty dollars. The committee did not apply to the Council to sanction the expenditure of that sum for pipes. Alderman Macmillan evidently believes that such sanction was not necessary. But we have it on record that several of the other aldermen were of quite a different opinion. At the session of Council held on the evening of the 3rd inst., Alderman Humphrey "certainly considered that the matter should have come before Council before the contract was awarded." Alderman Hall was "astonished to find that such a contract had been awarded without laying the tenders before the Council." Alderman McLellan was astonished that the Committee should do business in that way. And Alderman Bragg "understood that for everything over \$50 committees had to consult the Council before awarding contracts." Other aldermen, we understand, are of the same opinion. How is it that all these gentlemen interpret the law differently from the two members of the sewerage committee? They have themselves been members of committees and must have known what the practice has hitherto been.

If Alderman Macmillan is right and any standing committee that has a lump sum of money placed to its credit for the purpose of carrying on a certain work, can let what contracts it sees fit to those whom its members like and at what prices they approve, it is time that the ratifiers should know it. Is subsection (c) of section 21 of the Municipal Act to be a dead letter, or is it only intended to give the standing committees authority to make expenditure in emergencies to the extent of fifty dollars without the sanction of Council? The point is an important one, and the sooner it is authoritatively settled the better. For our own part we believe that the interpretation of the majority of the Council is the correct one, because the restriction is salutary, and calculated to put a check on extravagance on the part of the committees and to prevent favoritism and corruption in the letting of contracts.

Alderman Macmillan adduces cases in which expenditures of over fifty dollars in amount were made without first obtaining the consent of the council to each specific transaction. If our correspondent's cases were all to the point—which, we are informed, they are not—citing them proves nothing. If one committee spends money without warrant that does not justify another committee in committing the same breach of law. We need not inform a man of Alderman Macmillan's intelligence that two wrongs never yet made a right, and that

"you're another" is the worst of all possible arguments.

We repeat, it is clear from Alderman Macmillan's own letter that subsection (c) of section 21 of the Municipal Act was disregarded by the Sewerage Committee, and notwithstanding his labored argument it is not so clear that the committee was justified in disregarding it or in concluding that it does not apply to the Kellar contract.

A SERIOUS DISASTER.

The citizens of Toronto are just now in a bad way for want of good water and they are likely to be so for some time to come. As most of our readers know, Toronto is supplied with water from Lake Ontario. In order to get water free from sewage contamination it was necessary to get the city's supply from a part of the lake where the water was deep and at some distance from the city. This source of supply is connected with the city by an immense pipe, which is laid at the bottom of the lake. It is easy to understand that this conduit is exposed to accidents from various causes. But the bursting or the breaking of the conduit is a very serious matter for the citizens of Toronto. A week ago yesterday, to the consternation of the citizens, it was found that sections of the conduit, instead of lying quietly on the bottom of the lake doing their work were floating on its surface. This meant that the city's supply of good, drinkable water was stopped for an indefinite period; for, as can be readily understood, it is no easy matter to mend the pipe and place it in position again. A similar calamity happened on Christmas Day, 1892, and it was some months before the waterworks of the city were in good order again.

The citizens of Toronto must for the next two or three months use water which they know is very far from being pure, and it will take quite a large sum of money to repair the damage that has been done. One might suppose that so important a work as placing this conduit, on the soundness of which the comfort and to a great extent the health, of the citizens depend, would be well and carefully done, but an examination of the broken pipe in 1892 showed that it was laid in a most slovenly manner, and it is more than suspected that the pipe that has just burst was placed in position quite as carelessly. The difficulty in getting honest work done for cities in these days is almost incredible. No matter what precautions are taken work of the very greatest importance is liable to be seamed. It is to be hoped that the work on the Toronto conduit will be this time honestly done.

People in Toronto are naturally asking is there not a safer way of supplying the city with water than by conveying it through a pipe under water for a considerable distance? The answer is "yes." A tunnel could be bored under the bed of the lake to the source of supply that could not be injured by anything less powerful than an earthquake. There are many of the citizens who say, let us have the tunnel. It will probably be cheaper in the long run than the big metal tube.

A SOURCE OF DISEASE.

There are alarmists everywhere and they are always at work. They are never happy except when they are trying to make those who are within the sphere of their influence miserable. It takes very little to set them croaking. They see danger in every occupation and every amusement. The bicycle is just now the theme of their jeremiads. They are trying to convince those who take pleasure in riding the bicycle that if they don't give up the amusement they will become ugly. They will get the bicycle face, which is not pleasant to look at, and they will become round shouldered. Worse even than this, the alarmists have invented a bicycle disease the name of which alone is enough to frighten a timid person. They call it "vertebra bicyclist-ism"—the orthography is suspicious. Some one in mercy has simplified it into "the bicyclist's spine." A young man recently died in Oakland, California, probably of brain fever of the ordinary kind, but some prigs of doctors, wanting to be considered learned and profound, declared that the death of the lad was caused by the use of the bicycle. Here is what one of them is reported to have said:

"There can be no question as to the cause of the death of this young man," said Dr. Woolsey yesterday, "and there can be no question in my mind or the minds of the gentlemen who were with me in this case as to the cause of the meningitis. It was simply the jarring of the spine upon the spinal cord caused by the riding of his wheel. There was nothing else the matter with him, for he was a well-developed man. There is also no question in my mind but there are to-day hundreds of cases of 'bicycle spine' in this city, which are not recognized because of lack of information on the subject. I say this because it is true, and because it may warn some who are overdoing the sport. Reasonable exercise upon the wheel cannot be criticised, but I consider the bicycle more dangerous than any other of the many causes of disease in the human frame. The railroad train, the horse-car, the bookkeeper's desk and the sewing machine have all produced diseases in the human organization peculiar to themselves, and now the bicycle has added itself to the list, and there are undoubtedly bicycle diseases in course of development."

It is pretty safe to conclude in spite of the croakings of the croakers that the "bicyclist face" and the "bicyclist spine" exist nowhere except in the imagination of a few oranks. A moderate use of the wheel can have no permanent effect on the muscles of the face any more than a moderate use of the saddle horse. If the expression of the face of the person who is learning to ride on horseback, particularly when the horse shows any signs of restiveness, were to become permanent quite a number of the beautiful ladies and handsome men that one meets would be perfect frights. But as everyone knows, when the learner becomes used to the horse his nervousness disappears and with it the expression of countenance

caused by fear. And it is, no doubt, so with the wheel. The time comes when the bicyclist, man or woman, boy or girl, becomes as much at his or her ease on the bicycle as in a wagon or on a parlor chair. As for this new disease, people generally have neither the time nor the inclination to remain long enough on the wheel to contract a habit of any kind, or to injure any part of their bodies except as the consequence of a few tumbles. But the alarmists must alarm and nervous people here and there will get scared, but the healthy-minded will take their recreation perfectly regardless of their silly predictions.

BRUSH UP.

Would it do the City Council any harm to rouse themselves sufficiently to make the streets of the city clean and decent? Victoria's streets are a disgrace to the corporation, and the citizens generally are utterly disgusted with them and ashamed of them. Victoria is a lovely city. It possesses more of the elements of beauty than almost any other city that can be named. But the effect of her charms are to a very great extent destroyed by her dirty, ill-kept streets. She is like a pretty girl with a ragged, soiled dress and a dirty face. Who would fall in love with even Venus herself so attired and in such a condition? A little soap and water and a needle and thread judiciously used would make the unsightly girl most charming; and in the same way the use of simple appliances and a little labor intelligently and tastefully directed would brighten up the city wonderfully and make it most attractive. Now in whatever direction one looks there is something on the streets to offend the eye and to outrage one's sense of what is fitting and decent. When will the Corporation begin to take a pride in the city? When will they consider that it is a reproach to them that the streets are untidy and unclean? We do wish that a deputation of ladies would wait upon the Mayor and Aldermen and in their prettiest way beg of them not to allow the effect of the adornments of the city, natural and artificial, to be spoiled by the ragged, unkempt and dirty appearance of the streets. Perhaps they could coax the City Fathers into doing something towards tidying up the city.

LAURIER SPEAKS OUT.

Mr. Laurier is again accused of being definite and outspoken. It is in Chicoutimi this time. In one of his speeches, according to La Patrie, a Liberal newspaper, referring to the Manitoba school question he said: "I know I shall be called upon to fulfil this engagement because the Government itself cannot settle the question. How can you expect that men who are sworn to suppress the Catholic influence will re-establish the Catholic schools which are the source of that influence? Thank God there is not an Orangeman among us, the Liberals. The day when the people confide in me the direction of the affairs of the country I shall have to appeal to the Christian sentiments of my party to render justice to those to whom justice is due."

This though perhaps in not such good taste as might be expected from Mr. Laurier is explicit enough and shows very clearly where the Leader of the Liberal party stands on this Manitoba school question.

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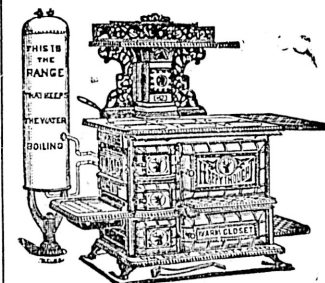
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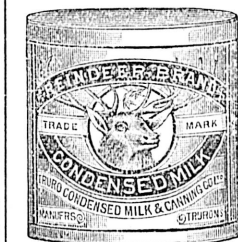
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Mr. Herbert Cuthbert conducted a successful sale of furniture at his firm's rooms yesterday, but was not quite able to finish it. He will continue it on Tuesday next, when other valuable consignments are expected.

THE CITY.

THIS evening Dr. John Lang will deliver an address on Dr. Guthrie before the Sir William Wallace society.

A GENERAL meeting of the directors of the Royal Jubilee hospital will be held in Yates & Jay's office this evening at the usual time.

A COPY of Gage's Canadian Reader, book IV, with the name Charles Costes on fly leaf was poked up on Pandora street yesterday afternoon and can be had at this office.

PROVINCIAL appointments gazetted this week are those of Harrison P. Millard, M.D.C.M., to be resident physician at Comox; Ernest Crompton, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to be a coroner for Victoria and Esquimalt; and Edward L. Kirkland, to act as assessor and collector for the county of Westminster.

THE B.C. Benevolent Society have received from M. A. Van Lookeren, of France, through his agents, Messrs. Lowenberg Harris & Co., a donation of \$25. Mr. Van Lookeren writes: "The reason I subscribe is that I understand that as a non-resident, it is fair I should contribute towards the needs of your poor."

ANOTHER social dance was given in the Daughters of England hall, View street, last evening, on this occasion under the management of the Y.L.I. It was the society's second dance of the season and was manifestly a success. The Bantley family orchestra discoursed a pleasing programme of music and refreshments added much to the enjoyment of the evening.

MR. AND MRS. W. J. MACAULAY on Wednesday evening entertained the visiting Lieut. Governor of Quebec and his party at their residence, "Highlands," among those invited to the dinner being the following: Lieut. Governor and Madame Chapleau; M. Kleczkowski, Consul General for France; Hon. Joseph Royal, formerly Lieut. Governor N.W.T.; Colonel and Mrs. McNamara, St. Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Marquis, Victoria; and Miss Green and Mr. Molyneux St. John, Winnipeg.

An afternoon piano recital was given by the pupils of Miss S. F. Smith, A.T.C.M., at her studio, 57 Fort street, yesterday afternoon. The following pupils took part: Albert Chadley, Walter Keating, Misses Keating, Phillis Eberts, Beth Hall, Winnie Johnson, Winnie Gabriel, Maude Chambers, Genevieve Grant, Rose Brash, Marie George, Florence Phair, Edna McKee, Gertrude Meyer, Stella Meyer, Blanche Cooves, Dollie Cooves, Cassie Morrison, Laura Morrison, Marion Honesby, Erskine Smith.

"THE VICTORIA" is the title of a first class hotel in Seattle under the direction of W. K. Tulloch, formerly proprietor of the Wilson here. The hotel has recently been furnished, and the writer can attest to the elegance and comfort of its rooms and the excellence of its table. The hotel is on the corner of Front and University streets, is convenient to the railway and steamer depots, and is in every way up to its claim of "strictly first class." Victorians visiting Seattle are recommended to put up at the Victoria.

JOHN MEYLER and William Hall, the two blue-jackets who assaulted constables Carter and Clayard, were sentenced yesterday morning by Mr. Justice Walkem to twelve months' imprisonment. Lieut. Church, of H.M.S. Wild Swan, to which the men belonged, stated that Meyer and Hall were two of the worst men aboard the ship, and Mr. Justice Walkem taking all the circumstances into account gave the prisoners a year's sentence, at the same time telling them he considered their conduct had been very cowardly.

YESTERDAY'S Tacoma Ledger says: "A quiet wedding in the presence of a few friends of the bride and groom took place yesterday morning at St. Peter's church, Old Tacoma. The groom was J. E. Macrae, agent of the Northern Pacific Steamship Company at Victoria, and Miss M. S. Brown, of Scotland. Rev. J. B. Alexander performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Macrae will reside at Victoria." The young couple will make their home at No. 113 Superior street. They will spend probably two weeks on their honeymoon trip, during which they will visit the principal cities of the coast.

THE funeral of George E. Martin, which took place yesterday at his mother's residence on Simcoe street, was attended by a very large number of sympathizing friends. Services were conducted by Rev. W. Leslie Clay, both at St. Andrew's church and at the graveside, while the Foresters—of which order the deceased had been an honored officer—turned out in a body, and had also the usual service of the craft, conducted by P. C. R. Bro. A. Johnston. The pallbearers were: H. L. O'Brien, E. E. C. Johnston, J. R. Collier, J. H. Wark, G. Chadwick and G. N. Gowen, the first four mentioned gentlemen being Past Chief Rangers of the A. O. F.

It will be quite at variance with the impressions of the Canadian-Australian steamship agents if the steamship Miowera does not arrive to-day. Though due yesterday, and in fact on Wednesday evening, the vessel up to the time of going to press this morning was not sighted from either Carmanah or Otter Point. Her regular date of departure from Sydney, N.S.W., is the 18th, but owing to a delay it was two days later than August 18 when she sailed. She started out on her voyage with about the usual sized passenger and freight lists, and is in all probability detained by unfavorable weather or a second delay at Honolulu. No uneasiness about her non-arrival, however, is entertained by the agents.

THE act passed by the legislature at its last session re-dividing the province for judicial purposes into seven counties, is by proclamation appearing in the current number of the official Gazette to go into effect on the 1st of October. Heretofore the boundaries of the several districts have varied for the purposes of the Supreme court act, the County court act, and the Sheriff's act respectively, but now they will be uniform for all such purposes. The seven counties will be Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver, Westminster, Yale, Cariboo and Kootenay. Another act passed last session provides that it shall be lawful to assign to each of the counties of Westminster and Vancouver one of the judges of the Supreme court, and to the county of Victoria three of such judges, and to direct that the judges so assigned shall reside and usually discharge their duties in the counties to which they are respectively assigned; while a further provision makes it necessary for the judges assigned to Westminster and Vancouver counties to reside in each case not

more than six miles from the cities so named. The object of the acts was to gratify Vancouver's desire for a resident Supreme court judge.

ANDREW MILLER, who will appear before the police magistrate on Tuesday on a charge of assaulting an Indian, was admitted to bail last night.

A NUMBER of old men, some of whom have been inmates of the Old Men's Home here, started for the provincial home at Kamloops this morning under the guidance of Provincial Constable Anderson.

A VERY impressive harvest festival service was held at St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill, last night. The service was full choral. Ven. Archdeacon Scriven read the lessons, the prayers were read by Rev. J. E. Flinton, and the sermon was preached by the Bishop of Columbia. The service was concluded by the singing of the Te Deum. The church was very prettily decorated, wheat and barley being used and with happy effect.

D. McNICOLL, Montreal, general passenger agent, C.P.R.; W. R. Callaway, agent for the C.P.R. Soo lines; R. Kerr, general passenger agent, Winnipeg; M. M. Stern, San Francisco agent of the C.P.R.; and D. McL. Brown, Vancouver, are a party of C.P.R. men who arrived by the steamer Geo. E. Starr, from the Sound yesterday. Mr. McNicoll is on a trip of inspection to the various offices along the line. The party returns to Vancouver to-day.

MR. ADAM ROSS, of Saanich, who has had the experience of the best part of a lifetime in mining, is amongst the latest to bring a good report of the Alberni district, to which he has just paid his third visit. Mr. Ross says he considers the prospects excellent for profitable results from the extraction of the gold which so plainly appears in the ledges, and that the prospectors are anxiously awaiting the arrival of the stamp mill which they have heard is to be set up there. They believe that the results of the first smelting operations would be such as to bring with a rush the capital that is needed for development.

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Bark "Enoch Talbot" Waits in Esquimalt to Be Docked—Alaskan Competition.

The Prevost Island Lighthouse Will Probably Be Taken Over From the Contractors To-day.

According to the Seattle Times, "the Pacific Coast Steamship Company have entered the Alaska rate war with renewed energy. They announced a cabin rate of \$10 to Juneau and a \$5 stevedore rate to the same place for the steamship Alki, which was advertised to sail to-day. What is very unusual, tickets which were sold previously to this last reduction were, in some cases at least, rebated to the purchasers. A \$30 round trip cabin rate had previously been made for the steamship Topeka, advertised for the 5th. After her departure tickets were sold for the Alki at reduced rates, when news came from below to cut the rate to \$10, and it was said by some of the passengers that no round trip tickets were being issued for the Alki. There was a belief among the Ocean dock this morning that word might be received before the vessel got away to cut the rate below \$10. The statement was made by outsiders that the Pacific Coast Company will in all likelihood announce a \$5 cabin rate soon, if not a lower one."

A CHANGE OF PLANS.

As the bark Enoch Talbot was about to proceed to Vancouver for her lumber cargo the other day, having been delayed on account of the non-arrival of a tug to tow her there, she received orders to discharge ballast and make ready for docking. On her arrival in Esquimalt this was what she intended doing, but owing to the marine railroad being occupied her plans were changed, and the bark will await the launching of the oilier Wellington, which is expected to be on the stocks until the end of the present month. The foul condition of her bottom makes it imperative that she should dock.

THE PREVOST ISLAND LIGHT.

In all likelihood the new lighthouse just completed on Prevost island will be taken over from the contractors to-day. Captain Gaudin, agent of the Marine and Fisheries department, leaves on the Dominion steamer Quadra to-day to inspect the structure, and if everything is found satisfactory the lighthouse will be taken over by the Captain on behalf of the Dominion. The globe for the light, which is coming out from the East, will be taken out to the station as soon as its arrival.

MARINE NOTES.

Steamship Willapa sailed North from the Sound yesterday with a big cargo of freight. Her upper deck was altogether taken up with lumber and green goods and her lower deck pretty well taken up with cattle from Tacoma.

The turret steamship Progressist, bound for Wellington from San Francisco, passed up from sea yesterday morning.

ENTRERS.

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"Scheme....." Port Townsend.
"Rosalia....." Comox.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Entries for the Great Cyclists' Championship Meet at Oak Bay.

Opening Match of the Association Football Season—Lawn Tennis—Cricket.

Still the cyclists keep coming for the great championship meet at the Oak Bay track on Saturday. Last night's Charmor brought half a dozen more, including Messrs. Wood and Davidson—all the way from Winnipeg. This morning will see the Deemings, McGregor, Gray, Hunter and Chestwood down from Wellington and Nanaimo, and by ten o'clock thirty or more fast riders will be on the track, which is now in splendid condition, thanks to the efforts of Superintendent Edean, and the rain. The entry list for Class A closed last evening, though B riders will be permitted to enter until this evening. Here are the racers as at present known:

No. 1, novice race, one mile, class A—W. F. Penwill, Victoria Wheelmen's Club; Fred. Deeming, Crescent C. C., Wellington; William Hunter, Black Diamond Club, Nanaimo; H. G. Lincoln, Victoria Wheelmen's Club; William Hewartson, jr., Victoria Wheelmen's Club; R. J. Russell, Victoria Wheelmen's Club; C. Cheatwood, Black Diamond Club, Nanaimo; T. W. Kavanaugh, Victoria Wheelmen's Club; T. Spain, Burrard Bicycle Club, Vancouver; A. Lister, Burrard Bicycle Club, Vancouver; C. Davidson, Winnipeg Wheeling Association, Winnipeg, Man.

No. 2 One mile race, class B—Eli Winesett, Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland; John M. Campbell, Spokane Wheel Club; and H. B. Hewitt, Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland—with others to be added.

No. 3 One mile championship, class A—F. E. Alley, V.W.C.; Thomas A. Johnson, V.W.C.; James Deeming, Crescent C.C., Wellington; George Emanuels, B.B.C., Vancouver; J. C. McGregor, B.D.B.C. Nanaimo; Albert Deeming, Crescent C.C., Wellington; E. A. Wolff, V.W.C.; T. W. Kavanaugh, V.W.C.; C. F. Barker, B.B.C., Vancouver; John Pugh, B.B.C., Vancouver.

No. 4, one mile open, class B—J. M. Campbell, Eli Winesett and H. B. Hewitt—the list not yet being completed.

No. 5, 2.45 class, class A—F. E. Alley, W. F. Penwill, Fred. Deeming, H. G. Lincoln, W. W. Gray (B.D.B.C., Nanaimo), W. Hewartson, jr., R. J. Russell, George Emanuels, J. C. McGregor, C. Cheatwood, E. A. Wolff, G. S. Wright (McMinnville Athletic Club, McMinnville, Ore.), T. Spain and A. Lister.

No. 6 Half mile, open, class B—J. M. Campbell, H. B. Hewitt and Eli Winesett, the list not yet being closed.

No. 7 Quarter mile British Columbia championship, class A—W. F. Penwill, E. W. Bradley, Thomas A. Johnson, W. W. Gray, George Emanuels, J. C. McGregor, Albert Deeming, E. A. Wolff, C. F. Barker and T. Spain.

No. 8, three miles open, class A—F. E. Alley, W. F. Penwill, James Deeming, G. Lincoln, W. W. Gray, George Emanuels, J. C. McGregor, E. A. Wolff, G. S. Wright, T. W. Kavanaugh, C. F. Barker, John Pugh and A. Lister.

No. 9, two mile tandem—Not filled.

No. 10, one mile record, paced, class B—J. M. Campbell, Eli Winesett and H. B. Hewitt—the list not yet being completed.

No. 11, Five mile British Columbia championship, class A—F. E. Alley, Thomas A. Johnson, James Deeming, W. W. Gray, George Emanuels, J. C. McGregor, A. Deeming, T. W. Kavanaugh and C. F. Barker.

No. 12 Five mile, open to both classes, by special sanction—James Deeming, A. Deeming, J. M. Campbell, G. S. Wright, Eli Winesett, H. B. Hewitt and C. F. Barker.

FOOTBALL.

VICTORIA COLLEGE VS. "BUMBLE BEES"
The opening match of the Association season was played yesterday afternoon at Beacon Hill between Victoria College and Mr. Foulkes' "Bumble Bees." The game was most keenly contested throughout, as the somewhat unusual score of 0-0 will show, thus making the result a draw. The defence on either side was exceptionally good, one of the principal features being the lightning play of "Professor" Foster in goal, who time and again averted defeat from Mr. Foulkes' eleven, coolly punching the ball when rushed by the College forwards. Foulkes and Shuter, forward, played their usual faultless game, while Goward at full-back for the College sustained his reputation as a heavy kicker, ably backed by R. C. Trimen in goal.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE JUNIOR TOURNAMENT.

On Wednesday last E. Wigram (rec. 15), beat R. Dunsmuir (scratch), 6-0, 6-1, having on Monday beaten G. Shuter, 6-5, 6-5, and not 6-0, 6-3 as before stated. The semi-finals and final are to be played off this afternoon on the club courts and will be very good matches. The semi-finals are timed for 3 p.m. sharp, but competitors are requested to play before that time if possible so as to leave time for the final. The following are the semi-finals: 3 p.m. sharp, A. Pringle (rec. 15) v. G. C. Johnston (owe 15), E. Wigram (rec. 15) v. H. A. Goward (scratch).

CRICKET.

THE TEAM FOR PORTLAND.

The following gentlemen have been selected to play for the Victoria Cricket Club against the Multnomah Athletic Club at Portland on September 27 and 28 next: Messrs. C. E. Pooley, Captain Barnes, W. Wallis, A. T. Goward, Dr. South, B. H. T.

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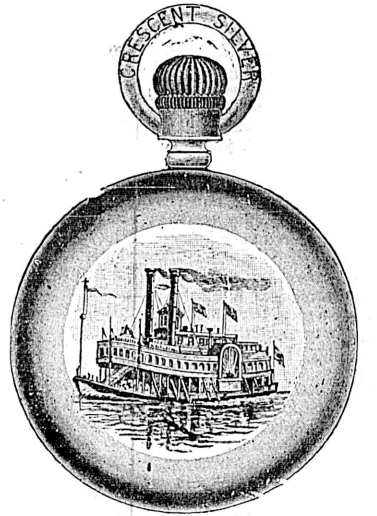
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HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

This evening the Union, Victoria and Capital gun clubs meet at Weller Bros. to arrange for the championship shoot to be held on September 21.

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Whose orbs with sympathetic fervor glow
And all the heart within on me bestow—
The wide world holdeth none that can excel.
The soul within them doth my soul impel.
Dear eyes, I thank them for the tale they tell.
—New York Tribune.

THE TRIPLE CALL DOWN.

How a Bored Irishman Silenced a Crowd
of Self-Admitted Geniuses.

There were four of them, as genial, good natured, whole souled retailers of old wives' tales as ever got together in the smoking compartment of a sleeping car. They had all fed well in the diner and settled down with the anticipation of enjoying a long evening of yarn swapping. They spread themselves over as many of the seats of the smoker as they could cover and crowded into a corner a large, round faced, jolly looking Irishman, who was enjoying his after dinner cigar. Somehow he wasn't amused by the stories. The narrators spread themselves, but they couldn't freeze him, and the bored expression on his face grew in intensity as the stories went on. The stories were not funny. Once in awhile there was a gleam of humor, but for the most part they were just commonplace or vulgar. But they seemed irresistibly humorous to the four, who pelted their thighs and wheezed and chortled and roared as each in turn finished his yarn.

At last the big Irishman could endure it no longer, and he broke in:

"That reminds me of the farmer who caught three boys stealing apples in his orchard."

The original four turned toward him with a look of expectant triumph, ready to yell at the first sign of conclusion. "He chased them," went on the Irishman, "and they all ran up a tree. 'Come down,' said the farmer, but they wouldn't."

"Will ye come down for once?" asked the farmer.

"We will not," answered the boys.

"Will ye come down for twice?"

"We will not."

"Will ye come down for three times?"

"So they all came down."

And with that the big Irishman winked at the only other man in the compartment who was not of the story telling crowd. The yarn spinners laughed uproariously for a second or two, and then a light went up, as the Germans say, and they stopped suddenly. They looked at one another for a minute, searching for the point, and then one said, with a yawn and a stretch: "Well, I guess it's bedtime. Good night." And the party broke up, wondering.—New York Sun.

Some Peculiarities of Icebergs.

Derelicts and icebergs are among the dangers to which vessels are constantly exposed, the latter being perhaps the more formidable of the two, because there are more of them at certain seasons, and there is no telling when one of these monsters may appear in sight.

An ordinary iceberg shows one-ninth of its bulk above water. During the present season a number of these masses of ice—at least 100 feet high—have been encountered by steamships. It is scarcely possible to imagine an iceberg with 900 feet of its bulk below water. One captain reports having seen an enormous field of ice at least 300 feet high and 2,000 feet long. It had evidently but just turned over, as the upper portion was full of sharp angles and points, and the water was trickling down its side.

One of the greatest dangers from icebergs is being in their vicinity when they turn over. The sea currents wash and melt them into all sorts of fantastic figures and points. They melt below so much more rapidly than above that the center of gravity becomes disturbed, and they turn with tremendous force. Sometimes the disturbance is almost equal to a tidal wave and is sufficient to upset any small craft that may be in its way.

—New York Ledger.

Escaped That Penalty.

The proceedings of the summer school at Harvard afford a certain amount of amusement even to the professors and instructors. It is said that the sessions have attracted some very independent as well as gifted young women from a distance. Lately one of the instructors informed his class, chiefly composed of women, that a daily theme would be required to give facility in composition.

This seemed to surprise one of the young ladies, who went to the instructor after the session was over, in the presence of others, and said archly and coquettishly, "And what will you do to us if we do not prepare any theme?"

"We do not," the professor answered gravely, "employ any form of corporal punishment."—Boston Transcript.

Result of Politeness.

Visitor (to attendant friar in the refectory of a convent)—Are we allowed to smoke here?

Friar—No, sir.

Visitor—Then where do all those stumps of cigars come from that I see lying about?

Friar—From those gentlemen who didn't ask.—Tagliche Rundschau.

When the common earthworm is cut in two to the tail, there grows a head, and to the head there grows a tail, and two animals are formed. As the wound heals a small white button is formed, which afterward develops into rings and a perfect extremity.

The largest wine cask in the world is in the Paris establishment called the "Halle aux Vins." Its capacity is 8,710 gallons.

A shell which has lain under water for 200 years may explode if brought to the surface.

WASHING THE DISHES.

There is a Right and a Wrong Way In This Prosaic Occupation.

With a view to assisting readers to the right way is here appended in brief an extended dissertation on the washing of dishes which recently appeared in some of the weekly exchanges. As rescued from its circumlocution and presented in Good Housekeeping, the substance of the instructions given was as follows:

The articles required for a dish washing equipment comprise a clean sink, plenty of hot water, a high grade soap without an excess of soda, a dish drainer and plenty of room for handling the work, dishcloths and mops, a cake of sapolio, a bottle of diluted ammonia, a knife cleaner and plenty of clean, dry towels. When the dishes have been placed in the suds, they should be immediately washed out, rinsed and wiped. Leaving them in the soapy water has a tendency to injure the glaze. Before commencing operations see that the cups and glasses are emptied of any surplus fluids, and that other dishes are freed from remnants of the feast, whether fluids, semifluids or solids. Wash the dishes of one kind together, for the reason that, apart from less liability to damage, they go together through all the subsequent stages and reduce the labor of handling to a minimum.

Begin with the glassware, following with the finer china. By this time it is likely that the suds will be too cool for efficient service. In that case it may be brought to the right temperature by adding more hot water and a little soap. Take the silver next, and after washing place it upon the drainer, rinsing it by pouring hot water upon it from a pitcher. The same process may be pursued in regard to other dishes and is a very excellent method of rinsing, but with fine china care is to be taken that the water is not too hot, else the vessels may be cracked.

Carrying on the system thus far indicated, the remainder of the task will be found comparatively easy. One class of dishes at a time is to be taken, deftly washed and passed on, the suds being changed or re-enforced as often as it loses heat. All the dishes and appurtenances of the table which are used and handled should be washed after each meal.

After the dishes are out of the way comes the cutlery. This should be rinsed, wiped, scoured and again wiped to remove any traces of the polishing material. This scouring is not by any means a formidable process if proper appliances are provided, but in that connection it should be borne in mind to place the blade flat upon the scouring board to avoid strain upon the handles, and in the washing handles of knives or forks should never be immersed in hot water. They should be quickly washed over and wiped dry. It also may not be amiss to suggest the importance of giving prompt attention to the inside of articles like pitchers, mugs and cups. The difficulty of access emphasizes the necessity of care and promptness. Sedimentary stains are easily removed on the first day, they "stick like a brother," on the second, and afterward seem to have become almost a part of the fiber of the material.

How to Clean Straw Matting.

Straw matting can be cleansed from dust by wiping with a cloth wrung out of salt water. If white, this prevents their turning yellow, and if colored their fading. The water should be cold, with a small handful of salt dissolved in a pailful.

Currant Cakes.

Half a cupful butter, a cupful of sugar, an egg, 2 tablespoonfuls milk, half a cupful currants, 2 small teaspoonfuls baking powder and flour to make a very stiff batter. Heap in small mounds on buttered paper and bake 15 minutes.

A Popular Apron.

Blue and white broken check gingham, if made up after a model furnished by The Housewife, will afford a very serviceable and practical apron for a child. The square yolk forms the upper portion, which is fitted by shoulder straps and furnished with wide hems at the back, where it closes with buttons and buttonholes.

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CHILD'S APRON WITH YOKE.

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" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or storehouse apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, store street.

C. P. Navigation Co., Limited

TIME TABLE NO. 27

Takes effect June 21st, 1895

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 12.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. train.

New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 2 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 9 going east Monday.

For Plummer's Pass—Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moreby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 12.15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plummer's Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moreby Islands—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route:

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock.

When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route:

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Port Alberni the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of change; this Time Table at any time without notice.

JOHN IRVING, Manager

G. A. CARLETON, General Agent, Victoria, Jan. 1st, 1895.

LIVERPOOL FOR VICTORIA

DIRECT.

THE BRITISH SHIP

"HOWTH"

(2166 Tons Register.)

To sail from Liverpool about middle of October, 1895.

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned, or Balfour, Williamson & Co., Liverpool.

ROBERT WARD & CO., Ltd., Temple Building.

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The British Ship

GLENALVON

2,146 tons Register

(Having been substituted for the Celtic Queen, previously advertised), will sail from Liverpool for Victoria about the middle of October.

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Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and note its connections with all trans continental lines at St. Paul and Omaha, and remember when going east that its trains are lighted with electricity and heated by steam.

Its equipment is superior. Elegant Buffet, Library, Smoking, and Sleeping cars, with free reclining chairs. Each sleeping car berth has an electric reading lamp, and its dining cars are the best in the world. Some other lines are longer than this, but none are shorter, and no other offers the above luxurious accommodations. These are sufficient reasons for the popularity of "The Milwaukee." Coupon ticket agents in every railroad office will give you further information, or address

C. EDDY, General Agent, J. W. OABBY, Trav. Pass. Agent, Olympia Block, Seattle.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date, I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, viz:

Commencing at a post marked U.L.P., planted on the east side of the unsurveyed channel, Valdez Island, about two miles west of Surge Narrows; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to beach; thence following beach to point of commencement; containing about 1,000 acres.

CHAS. L. PAULSEN.

Victoria, B.C., August 19th, 1895.

'ST. ANDREW & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY.

Society meets in Caledonia Hall, Blanchard street, on the first Friday in every month. Visitors and brethren are invited to attend

And further take notice, that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner and action commenced before the expiration of this notice.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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PERSONAL.

C. B. Sword, M.P.P., is in town.
Ross Eckart returned home by last night's Charmer.
Simon Leiser is back from a trip to the Mainland.
J. W. McGregor, Nanaimo; and T. D. Conway, Chemainus, are at the Oriental.
Geo. McL. Brown, district passenger agent of the C.P.R., arrived over from the Sound on the Geo. E. Starr yesterday morning.
Capt. James Carroll, the popular skipper of the Alaska excursion steamship Queen, arrived in the city last evening and is quartered at the Driard.
W. M. Stove, San Francisco; Geo. Cassady, Vancouver; Osborne Plunkett, Vancouver; and Dr. Barr and wife, Shelbourne, are guests at the Driard.

White and fancy vests in silk and cashmere, duck and pique, to be cleared at cost for cash. S. Reid, 122 Government St. x

Wonder 5 minute ice cream freezers at Perry & Turner's, 42 Johnson street.

BIRTH.

YATES.—At Craigie Lea, Gorge Road, on the 12th inst., the wife of J. Stuart Yates, of a son.

MARRIED.

MACRAE-BROWN.—On the 11th September, at St. Peter's Church, Tacoma, Washington, U.S., by the Rev. J. B. Alexander, H.B.M.'s Vice Consul, and the Rev. Jas. Cheal, James Ewing Macrae, of Victoria, to Martha Stobo Brown, eldest daughter of Gavin Brown, Glasgow, Scotland.

WEDDING Stationery. A complete line at the Colonist Office.

DIED.

McDONALD.—At 111 Fisgard street, Ross D. infant son of Mr. M. McDonald, aged 4 years.

The funeral will take place TO DAY at 2 p.m., from above residence. Friends will please accept this intimation.

FINLAYSON.—On the 11th inst., at Beechridge, Quebec, John W. Finlayson, aged 37 years, eldest son of the late Roderick Finlayson, of this city.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

MEMORIAL Cards and Stationery. New Styles at the Colonist Office

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VISITING THE KOOTENAY.

Royal Reception Accorded the Members of the B. C. Board of Trade.

Addresses and Banquets at Different Points—A Most Successful Excursion.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

NELSON, Sept. 12.—The Board of Trade delegation is being everywhere received with open arms, the people at the different points of call making merry with them at banquets and balls, and sparing no pains in the efforts to make their visitors appreciate the immense importance and great possibilities of the famous Kootenay district. The newcomers among the Victorians have been already impressed with the wonderful advancement made by this comparatively new district in the growth of its towns, railways and steamboat lines, telegraph and telephone systems, to say nothing of the development which has marked out its mineral resources as second to none in America.

The party arrived at Revelstoke on Monday, and spent the afternoon with the business men of that place discussing local and business matters, which will doubtless bear fruits of profit to all. From Revelstoke the party was conveyed to Trail on the Columbia on the C. & K. Company's new palace steamer Nakusp, which was launched a few weeks ago. A seven stage trip brought the party to Roseland Tuesday afternoon, where some saw a full grown, brand new city, for the first time. The party was met at Roseland by R. E. Lemon, president of the South Kootenay board of trade, and Mr. Hunter, of Hunter Bros. & Kendrick, Roseland. In the evening a ball was given in honor of the visitors at the Montana house, and a very enjoyable time was spent.

The following morning a visit was paid to three of the most promising mines, the Leroi, War Eagle and Nickleplate. It was the wonderful profits accruing from these two first mentioned properties which rendered Trail Creek famous and accounted for the remarkable growth of Roseland, which is located within a stone's throw from their workings. The party received every courtesy from the superintendents of the mines and by their own observation were convinced of the genuineness of the district's wealth, though time prevented them from seeing a fractional part of its mineral resources. Late on Wednesday afternoon the party re-embarked on the Nakusp for Robson, on the C. & K. Ry., en route for Nelson, in company with R. E. Lemon, Messrs. Prior and Cassidy remaining over at Roseland. Against the swift current of the Columbia, the Nakusp showed her excellent steaming qualities, and Robson was made in remarkably short time. On board the Nakusp at Robson the C. & K. Navigation Company banqueted the party in a princely fashion, when Commodore Troup disclosed himself as the most happy of entertainers, and Mr. Tomkins, the steward of the Nakusp, ably sustaining his reputation as the first of chefs.

While discussing the wines, President Ker requested the attendance of the officers of the steamer, and Commodore Troup, Captain Gore, Purser Anderson and Steward

Tomkins lined up to receive the verdict of the entertained. Mr. Ker then thanked the company and its officers for their unstinted kindness and hospitality and complimented the company and its officers upon the possession of their handsome steamer. He reviewed the commercial situation respecting the Kootenay and the coast, and referred to the number of points which, he confessed, the business men of the coast had overlooked. He expressed himself as pleasantly surprised at what he had already seen and heard since the trip had been undertaken, and expressed uncertainty as to what would become of the party if the revelations continued to present themselves as the trip was continued.

The secretary of the board read an impressive complimentary address to the company and its officers, which was followed by a toast of prosperity and health. Commodore Troup made a very happy reply, his remarks being received with much applause. He was followed by the other officers and the dinner was rounded off with songs and chorus. The party arrived at Nelson at midnight on Wednesday. There is a banquet awaiting them at Nelson Friday evening, and another at Kaslo, and fearing that they cannot get away from their entertainers, there is every likelihood that the Spokane trip will be abandoned.

CABLE NEWS.

British Ambassador to Russia—The Cholera Increasing at Tangier.

McCarthyite Elected in Limerick—Weekly Statement of the Bank of England.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—There were eight new cases of cholera at Tangier yesterday and six deaths.

Mr. N. O'Connor, C.B., C.M.G., British minister to China, has been appointed ambassador to Russia, succeeding Rt. Hon. Sir Frank Cavendish Lascelles, K.C.M.G.

The election for a member of parliament for the city of Limerick in place of John Daly, whose election was declared illegal because he is undergoing a sentence of imprisonment as a dynamiter, was held to-day. F. A. O'Keefe, McCarthyite, received 1,836 votes, and J. Nolan, Parnellite, 1,752. The weekly statement of the Bank of England, issued to-day, shows the following changes as compared with previous account: Total reserve, increased, £532,000; circulation, decreased, £245,000; bullion, increased, £236,967; other securities, decreased, £85,000; other deposits, increased, £527,000; public deposits, decreased, £79,000; notes reserve, increased, £912,000; government securities, decreased, £3,000. The proportion of the Bank of England's rate of reserve to liability, which last week was 58 08 per cent., is now 60 38 per cent.

"I don't see any use getting blue over it, old man. She isn't the only girl in the world."

"That's just what I'm blue about. Think of the chances I have of making the same kind of a fool of myself again."—Brooklyn Life.



Thomas A. Johns.

A Common Affliction

Permanently Cured by Taking

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

A CAB-DRIVER'S STORY.

"I was afflicted for eight years with Salt Rheum. During that time, I tried a great many medicines which were highly recommended, but none gave me relief. I was at last advised to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, by a friend who told me that I must purchase six bottles, and use them according to directions. I yielded to his persuasion, bought the six bottles, and took the contents of three of these bottles without noticing any direct benefit. Before I had finished the fourth bottle, my hands were as

Free from Eruptions

as ever they were. My business, which is that of a cab-driver, requires me to be out in cold and wet weather, often without gloves, and the trouble has never returned."—THOMAS A. JOHNS, Stratford, Ont.

Ayer's The Only Sarsaparilla

Admitted at the World's Fair.

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MONEY TO LOAN on Victoria real estate, repaid by easy monthly payments, by the Dominion Building and Loan Association, in sums of \$200 to \$10,000; also money to loan repayable in a straight sum. A. W. More & Co., 70 Douglas street.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

I have seized and will sell at public auction on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1895, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the ranch of the defendant, on Burnside Road, near the Hotel, the undermentioned property, under a warrant of execution, issued out of the County Court of Victoria, the 5th day of September, 1895, at the suit of Wing On vs. Chong Choy Yat, Ah Young and Jong Hong, trading together in partnership under the firm name of San Sing Co., to levy \$132.91, besides officers' fees and incidental expenses, besides a \$50 claim by the landlord for rent: Four horses, two wagons, a large lot of potatoes (both in sacks and in the ground), onions, carrots, turnips, Indian corn, pigs, chickens and two plows, cultivator, harrow, garden tools, and various other articles. Terms cash. J. E. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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—AT—

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Special rates to Victoria and return during Exhibition Week on all lines.

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—AT—

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Further information furnished by applying to T. J. TRAPP, A. B. MACKENZIE, Pres. R. A. & I. Soc'y. Sec. R. A. & I. Soc'y. B. W. SHILES Mayor, ARTHUR MALIN, Chairman Col. Com. Secretary Col. Com. sell-im

NOTICE.

British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association.

Intending exhibitors in the ART DEPARTMENT must have their exhibits at Mr. Rene Quenton's Studio, 100 Government Street, upstairs, prior to 14th September, 1895, to admit of the pictures being classified and catalogued.

J. LAMBERTON, Superintendent.

A GRAND SUCCESS

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HOW EASY BUSINESS IS DONE WHEN IT IS DONE RIGHT.

The past records of the Victoria Tailors cannot be wiped out with hypocritical promises for the future. The Tailor who has over-charged his patrons in the past cannot at this time plead honesty and low prices.

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Have had their effect. Compare our prices and goods of to-day with those charged before.

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To equal our rivals is not our intention, but to turn out better goods from twenty to fifty per cent lower than any other store in Victoria is our ambition, and to accomplish this we have spared neither

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Well, it is about time someone has commenced to sell Gents' Furnishing Goods at prices with a little respect to decency. This remark could have been heard in our store almost any time in the day last Saturday.

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Gents' White 4-ply Linen-bosom Shirt	\$ 75
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Fancy Silk End Suspenders	25
Four Linen Handkerchiefs	25
A Good Undershirt	20
A Good Pair Drawers	20
A Good Wool Overshirt	50
Three pairs All-wool Hose	50
A Wool Undershirt	50
Australian All-wool Undershirt	75
Australian All-wool Drawers	75

And hundreds of other articles too numerous to mention, usually kept in a First-class Gents' Furnishing Goods Store, which we will sell at such low prices as are bound to give satisfaction.

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